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In re application of: Gopalakrishnan G. Juttu
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Serial No.: 10/814,913

Art Unit: 1725

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Examiner: Christina Ann Johnson

For: Catalyst for Aromatization of Alkanes, Process of Making and Using Thereof

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)

This is a petition for an extension of time in which to respond with an amendment or other appropriate action to the Office Action mailed September 6, 2005, for the above-identified patent application. A Shortened Statutory Period was set for three months from the mailing date. A response was due December 6, 2005. Extension is requested for two (2) months. Based on the extension requested in this petition, the extended period for response will expire on February 6, 2006. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.

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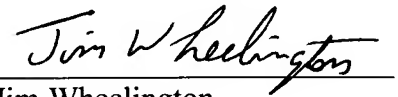
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The applicant is not a small entity. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$450.00 under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(2) or any additional fees which may be required by filing this paper or credit any overpayment to Account No. 502025.

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